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BLAIRMORE,

ALBERTA

The auction sale staged at the store of E. Thael, on Saturday last by Auctioneer Porter, of Lethbridge, was not very well attended and bidding was far from being brisk.

J. C. Patmore, who has been visiting friends in Ontario, joins for some weeks, stopped off here during the week, enroute to his present home in California. Dad is looking fine.

## DEATH OF THOMAS HARRISON

The sad news was received here on Tuesday of the death of Thomas Harrison, which occurred at Seattle. Mr. Harrison was a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Harrison, of Blairmore, and was forty years of age. About fourteen years ago he took up the trade of meat cutter and for years was employed periodically with the old "41 Market Company" at Frank and Blairmore, and P. Burns & Co's Blairmore branch. During his term of residence at Frank, Mr. Harrison made many friends, who regretted keenly his departure for the coast, where at Vancouver he entered into the meat market business on his own, later moving to Seattle, where he has since resided. A few years ago he decided to take a health trip, and with his wife and daughter journeyed to Australia, where they resided for some time before returning to Seattle. His condition did not improve much, however, and the end was in all probability due to heart failure and not altogether unexpected.

Mr. Harrison is survived by his wife and thirteen-year old daughter; his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. William Harrison, Blairmore; one brother, Charles, at Blairmore; Richard, at Michel; and two sisters, with all of whom we extend our sincerest sympathy.

We understand that interment takes place at Seattle today.

During the 18 months that United States troops were engaged in the war overseas, 48,000 soldiers lost their lives on the battlefield. In exact the same period, according to the New York Herald, 91,000 persons, of whom 25,000 were children, were killed by automobiles on United States highways.

## TOWN COUNCIL

### REGULAR MEETING

The regular fortnightly meeting of the local town council was held on Monday night, Mayor McLeod, Councillors McVey, MacDonald, McDonald, Morency and Morgan, and Secretary Wright being present.

The minutes of previous regular meeting and of special meeting were read and approved and the following accounts were duly considered for payment: Department Attorney-General, in re allowance Mrs. Tiberg and Mrs. Nicholson, \$60.00; Blairmore Enterprise \$105.40; F. M. Thompson Co., relief accounts \$19.15; F. A. Crayford \$31.10; Blairmore Hardware Co. \$33.10; Provincial Secretary (supplementary revenue tax 1921) \$40.82; Canadian General Electric Co. \$89.06 (1921 account); West Canadian Collieries, February electric current supplied \$102.00; Sundry accounts for work on water connections \$226.80; J. H. Davis \$150.26.

Communications were received from L. H. Putnam, solicitor, and A. C. Baillie, Lethbridge; the former notifying town of correction on assessment roll re ownership of building at west corner of Seventh Avenue on Victoria Street; the latter in re the South Alberta and British Columbia Tourists and Good Roads Association. In connection with the latter, the council could see no way clear to assist financially, but would try to give moral support. Councillor J. Angus MacDonald "did not think it fair for one moment to spend the ratepayers' money to help entertain wealthy tourists who sped through our town." Another councillor remarked that if West Blairmore had any attractive advances to make and the Tourists Association wish to accept it, they were welcome to it. Rivalry between East and West Blairmore was suggested. Anyway, the above mentioned Association outlined a plan whereby tourist traffic might be attracted this way that would otherwise be heading in other directions.

Councillor MacDonald asked re storage of tools etc., belonging to the town. He was informed that some were rented, but the present premises and others were in a portion of the town's building on Seventh Avenue, the key to which room was held by the electrician, and that so far as the town was concerned, no insurance was carried on anything stored in the latter place. A large tool box was suggested and Mr. MacDonald was delegated, in head of the works and property committee, to arrange for each a box as would look after the tools. It was about decided to fix up more storage room in building on Seventh Avenue and to cover contents with insurance. Just then the fire alarm sounded, the councillors dispersed and found flames in full charge of the building in question. Thus ended the council meeting.

## OKOTOKS PLAY HERE

We understand that arrangements have been made with the hockey club at Okotoks, whereby the Okotoks team, intermediate champions, will play the local team at the arena on Monday night next. Puck will be faced at 8 o'clock.

As will be remembered, some of the best games last season were played between Blairmore and Okotoks in the semi-finals, and there is every reason to expect the same brand of hockey on this occasion, coupled with the same or even greater amount of public interest.

Tonight the Bachelors and Benedicts of Blairmore's registered amateur players will try conclusions at the arena. Either of these teams are prepared at any time to challenge the Fourx or any other amateur team in the province. Tonight's game will be a whirlwind and will draw a big crowd. Most of the bachelors of this district are figuring their future on tonight's game and claim that if

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Blairmore

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The second grand convale of the C. S. E. T., Trail Ranger and Taxis Group will be held at Hillcrest tonight, when it is expected some three or four hundred boys, together with quite a number of parents, will be present to enter the various competitions.

The first of a series was held at the local opera house some weeks ago and proved very interesting, and it is hoped that this second affair will eclipse the initial effort. All are invited the admission fee being fifty cents, which will entitle you to your supper.

Bachelors  
M. G. Rhynas—goal. Arthur Ennis  
W. Turner—defense. A. McFeer  
G. N. Elwin M. Pruden  
H. Levasseur—forward. W. Goddard  
M. Jenkins T. Velpava  
J. Turner A. McVey  
W. W. Scott J. Nemrava  
N. Kilpatrick J. McLeod

Arthur J. Kelly has been granted special dispensation to act as referee. His decisions will be final. K.M. Brown and C. Fehrenbach will act as goal judges. W. Bird and Joe McDougall will watch the clock, while W. H. Chappell administers the penalties.

The proceeds of this game will be handed over to the Blairmore Junior Hockey Club, who are said to be "encasing the dough!"

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### LOCAL DAY TRAINS

#### MAY BE REMOVED

That the local trains—Crows' Nest Lethbridge, Carleton—will be taken off has been practically decided. In connection with the appeal for retention of this popular train service, the Lethbridge Board of Trade decided to take no action, the only appeal entered having been from Blairmore.

It is regrettable that conditions are such as to warrant the removal of this day service, which has been of untold benefit to the city of Lethbridge, which since the inauguration of the service has been the distributing centre for most wholesale wares. This trade now must to a very large extent revert to Calgary, with which this district has a very close connection by convenient train service.

There is no doubt but that the Lethbridge Board of Trade has been far too hasty in its matter, which was deserving of their best consideration.

In connection with the proposed withdrawal of the daylight trains from the Crows, the Lethbridge Herald of Saturday last has the following to say:

"To the towns on the Crows' Nest Pass and to the city itself there cannot but be something of a surprise that the Board of Trade, at its weekly luncheon, accepted without a demur the proposal of the C. P. R. to withdraw its daylight passenger service on the Crows' Nest Pass from Lethbridge, on the ground that it had lost money by it. It would appear that the Board of Trade in its quiet acceptance of the intent of the railway company did not give the matter the consideration which it demanded. The withdrawal of the daylight service on the Crows' Nest Pass cannot but have a bearing on Lethbridge in regard to communication with the tributary towns with which it has business relations. On the other hand it is a distinct gain for Calgary so far as business is concerned, in that people from Blairmore and other towns on the Crows' Nest line can take a sleeper on the night train direct for Calgary for transacting business without the inconvenience of the journey to Lethbridge with the having to get out an hour or so after midnight. It would again have been well if the Board of Trade could have supported a neighboring town such as Blairmore in its protest against the withdrawal of the train, at any rate in a spirit of friendly co-operation. All things considered it would have been well for the Board of Trade, in the consideration to which the withdrawal of the daylight service on the Crows was entitled, to have at least let the matter be decided by the Board of Railway Commissioners instead of acquiescing so readily as it did to the proposal of the C. P. R. As the matter stands, with no objection raised by Lethbridge, the hands of the C. P. R. will be strengthened so much in gaining what it desires when the proposal as to the withdrawal of the daylight service comes before the Railway Board, as it is bound to come before definite action is taken by the C. P. R. With all that it means to the city the proposal as to taking off the daylight service on the Crows' Nest Pass was worth at least a protest before capitulation."

Fast passenger and mail trains operated on regular schedules, are essential to the public weal and, therefore, cannot be interfered with unnecessarily at grade crossings, if any occur, upon those who carelessly obstruct the right-of-way.

The serious danger to passengers and employees on trains are subjected on account of motors being carelessly driven onto grade crossings is shown by accidents due to such cause. For instance the engineer and fireman were killed and 27 passengers, 10 mail clerks and 2 express messengers were hurt on July 25, 1921, when an eastbound passenger train struck a 5-ton truck that had become stalled on a Lincoln Highway grade crossing in Indiana. In addition to the large number of persons killed and injured, the railroad company's property was damaged to the extent of approximately \$50,000.

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### RAILROAD WINS DAMAGES

From Driver of Motor Truck That Engine Hit.

The respect to rights of railways and motor vehicles at grade crossings figured conspicuously in a recent decision by the Municipal Court of Cleveland, in which the New York Central Railroad was awarded judgment in the sum of \$331.56, for damage done to a locomotive in a collision with a heavy motor truck.

The evidence showed that on November 13, 1921, Harold L. Wilcox drove a 4-ton motor truck onto a grade crossing at Wickliffe, Ohio, with the result that it was hit by a fast passenger train, doing considerable damage to the locomotive.

The crossing where the accident occurred is 24 feet wide, planked, stone-filled, and was in good condition. Regular crossing signs were located on each side of the track.

Wilcox said he had the windshield and the curtains closed on the cab of his truck, but saw the headlight of a train coming from the east; however it looked to be about a mile away, so he continued ahead at a speed of about four miles an hour. The front wheels of his truck crossed the tracks the train was coming on and then the motor stalled, leaving the big truck standing squarely across the track. There was no time to signal the train to stop, the driver jumping from his seat just in time to escape injury and probable death.

The railroad company brought suit for damages to its locomotive, alleging that the accident was due wholly to the negligence of the driver, and the court awarded the company in the full amount of its claim.

The court's decision in this case makes it clear that the rights of passengers on trains, to protection at grade crossings, are paramount to those of persons riding in motor vehicles. On this point the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, a few years ago held:

"Because of the fact that a collision between a railroad train and an automobile endangers not only those in auto, but also those on board the train, and also because the car is more readily controlled than a horse vehicle and can be left by the driver if necessary, the law enacts from him a strict performance of the duty to stop, look and listen before driving upon a railroad crossing where the view is obstructed, and to do so at a time and place where looking and listening will be effective."

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Another similar accident occurred on April 20, 1921, on the Big Four Railroad in Ohio, when the driver of a 5-ton truck, loaded with five tons of stone, drove his machine onto a country grade crossing, obviously without taking any of the ordinary safety precautions incumbent upon a motorist under such conditions. In the collision that ensued, the truck driver was seriously injured, the lives of the

crew and the passengers on the train were put in danger and the railroad's damage to property was great.

Trains are operated under conditions that surround travellers upon highways with the fullest measure of protection. Whenever there have been accidents attributable to negligence on the part of the railroads or their employees, the railroads have been held responsible. The Cleveland case makes the rule of responsibility work both ways and the decision is noticed that the rights of railways and their passengers cannot be violated with impunity.

Extensive safety work has been done by railroads to prevent grade-crossing accidents, but there has not been wholehearted co-operation on the part of the motorist. The safety rule, "Stop, Look and Listen," is altogether often ignored. Crossing signs, alarm bells, and gates, in many cases, fail to stop speeding drivers from rushing onto railroad tracks just ahead of approaching trains, thus endangering not only their own lives, but also those of train passengers and employees.

### EVIL OF GOSSIP

The Toronto Globe says that two men who have been personal friends for forty years have been converted into personal enemies by a Division Court case, assisted by the willing efforts of some village gossips. An unkind word was dropped by one of the men, gossips carried the story, and the harm was done.

The Belleville newspaper makes this the text for a sermon against malicious gossip, or even vulgar gossip, which may be misinterpreted. It is a warning that is needed. Newspapers are often criticized for carelessly injuring reputations, but newspaper gossip is much less harmful than that which never gets into print.

A newspaper can be called to account for a libel, either by legal action or by reply and retraction. There is a sense of responsibility which checks a decent newspaper, but there is a far weaker check upon the unprinted word. Besides in the latter case, the victim has no adequate means of vindicating himself.

The blow, whether the result of malice or mere carelessness, is given in secret. And it is impossible to weigh every word that is spoken in private conversation, the only remedy is the charity which seeks out the good rather than the evil in character and conduct.

### MORE TROUBLE

A hockey player gave us a very insignificant call last week with the object of finding out who wrote the hockey article in Thursday's paper. On asking him what he was mad about, he said "Well, you'd be mad, too, if you were a handsome young fellow visiting a strange town with a hockey team and go to a dance where four girls turn you down one after the other, and then you see two of them go off dancing with one another and the other two dancing with two of the bald-headed old birds of the party, and then came home and be joshed about your popularity among the girls."

Well we admitted that, under such circumstances we would probably feel sore, but it was against the rules to give the names of correspondents. Our visitor finally left, giving as a parting shot that we had better go to Coleman himself, as tall men appeared to be all the thing with the girls at dances there.

### YOU BETCH!

Th' world has been a'lin'—as sick as a pup.  
But it's gonna git better, then folks'll cheer up;  
So, meanwh'ile, däg-gone it, let's pull a fool trick,  
By cheering up now, whilst the world is still sick!  
As long as th' glooms are barred out, you can fall  
Th' old world ain't fallin'—It's A-goin' git well!

### WHEN THE MINISTER COMES TO TEA

Ah, they've swept the parlor carpet and they've dusted every chair And they've got the tidies hangin' jes exactly on the square

And the what-not's fixed up lovely And the mat's have all been beat And the pantry's brimmin' over with the bully things to eat

Sis has got her Sunday dress on and she's frizin' up her bangs Ma's got on her best Alpecky, and she's askin' how it hangs

Fa has shaved as slick as could be an I'm rigged wáy up in G An' it's all because we're goin' ter have the Minister ter tea.

Ah, the table's fixed up gaudy with the gilt-edged Chiny set An' we'll use the silver tea-pot an' the company spoons you bet

An' we're goin' ter have some fruit cake an' some thimble berry jam An' riz biscuits and some doughnuts an' some chicken an' some ham

Ma'll apologize like fury an' say everything is had An' such awful luck with cookin' she is sure she never had

But 'er course she's only bluffin' fr as pris as it can be An' she's only talkin' that was 'cause the Minister's ter tea.

Everybody'll be smilin' an' as good as never was

Fa won't know about the vittals like he generally does

An' he'll ask one—would I like another piece or pie—but the Tat 'er course is only manners an' I'm sposed ter answer no

Sis'll talk about the Church work an' about the Sunday School

Ma'll tell how she liked that sermon that was on the Golden Rule

An' if I upset by tumbler the; won't say a word ter me

Yes, a boy can eat in comfort when the Ministers to tea.

Say a Minister you'd reckon wouldn't say what wasn't true

But that isn't so with ours, an' I can jest prove it to you

Cause when Sis plays on the organ so it would yer want ter die

Why he sets an' says its lovely an' that seems ter me a lie

But I like him all the same an' I only wish'd he'd stay

At our house for good and always an' eat with us every day

Only think of havin' goodies every evenin' Jimmie

A'n I'd never get a scoldin' with th' Minister ter tea.

### FUN IN ENGLISH

SCHOOL ANSWERS  
The hash which too much information makes in the mind of the school-boy is familiar in the examination papers of every land. In England such curiosities are called "howlers," and a splendid collection has been obtained by a competition conducted by an educational journal for bright and shining examples. Some of the best specimens follow:  
"Lloyd George is the Prime Mixture of England."  
"The Minister of War is a clergyman who preaches to the soldiers."  
"The three estates of the realm are Buckingham Palace, Windsor and Balmoral."  
"The strength of the British Constitution lies in the fact that the Lords and Commons give each other mutual cheek."  
"Martin Luther did not die a natural death, but was excommunicated by a bull."  
"Richard II. is said to have been murdered by some historians."  
"Julius Caesar was renowned for his strength; he threw a bridge across the Rhine."  
"Shakespeare wrote comedies, tragedies and errors."  
"Galileo discovered a star and was put in prison until he promised not to believe in the stars."  
"People go to Africa to hunt rhinoceroses."  
"A skeleton is a man with his inside out and his outside off."





Blairmore Lodge, No. 68, meets every Tuesday night at 8 p.m., in the Oddfellows' hall. Officers for the ensuing term: J. Patterson, N.G.; W. T. Patterson, V.G.; M. B. Hoffman, R.S.; J. B. Harmer, F.S.; J. Montalbetti, Treasurer.

Crows' Nest Encampment No. 4, meets on the second and fourth Wednesdays of the month in the I.O.O.F. hall at 8 p.m. Officers for ensuing term: J. Patterson, C.P.; W. T. Patterson, S.W.; A. Mowrey, J.W.; W. Patterson, Scribe; J. Montalbetti, Treasurer.

Crowfoot Rebekah Lodge, No. 66, meets the first and third Thursdays of the month at 8 p.m. Officers: Sister Patterson, N.G.; Sister Fraser, V.G.; Sister Evans, R.S.; Sister Walker, F.S.; Sister Pinkney, Treasurer.

Bellevue Lodge No. 115, meets every Monday night at 8 p.m. Officers: F. Fudgett, N.G.; H. Jepson, V.G.; H. Barless, R.S.; J. Wyatt, Treasurer.

Armadillo Encampment No. 17, Bellevue, meets the first and third Wednesdays of the month. Officers: A. B. Carr, C.P.; Stephen Barry, H. P.; Harry Jepson, S.W.; Fred Fudgett, J.W.; E. Excoffier, Treasurer.

Ray of Hope Rebekah Lodge No. 67, meets the first and third Wednesdays of the month. Officers: Sister Christie, N.G.; Sister Barless, V.G.; Sister F. Hallworth, R.S.; Sister Litherland, F.S.; Sister Goodwin, Treasurer.

Visitors of the Order are cordially invited to attend the above lodges.

The Bellevue and Blairmore Hockey Clubs and teams and their lady friends will be the guests of Mrs. Rosal Green and Mrs. J. R. Smith at the new Greenhill ballroom tomorrow night. A joyful time is expected.

## WHY A MAN COULD NOT PAY HIS DEBTS

A certain man in Chicago received one of those cruel epistles known in plain English, as a Dun, from a certain other man in Illinois. Apparently he was broke, badly broke at that, for this is the reply he made:

For the following reason I am unable to send you the check you have asked for:

"I have been held up, held down, sand-bagged, walked-on, flattened out and squeezed, first by the government for Federal war tax and excess profit tax, Liberty Loan Bonds, Thrift Stamps, Capital Stock Tax, Merchant's License, Merchant's bond, and organization that mind of man can invent to extract what I may or may not possess; from the society of St. John the Baptist to the G.A.R., the Women's relief; the Navy League, the Red Cross, the Double Cross, the Children's Home, the Dorcas Society, the Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A., the Boy Scouts, the Jewish Relief and every hospital and church in town.

The government has so governed my business that I don't know who owns it. I am inspected, suspected, examined, re-examined, informed, misinformed, required and commanded so I don't know who I am, where I am, nor why I am. All I know is, that I am supposed to be an inexhaustible supply of money for every known

need, desire or hope of the human race; and because I will not sell all I have and go out and beg, borrow, or steal money to give away, I am talked about, talked to, lied to and led about, held up, robbed, and nearly ruined, and the only reason that I am going to live is—the insane desire to see what the Hell is coming next."

## Canada and Forestry

While there is much to be done in regard to forest conservation in Canada, the progress that has been made in the last few years has been most gratifying. There are now four forest schools connected with Canadian universities. Forest experiment stations have been established in different parts of Canada to study the best methods of forest re-planting. Last season in addition to protecting the forest by means of hundreds of patrolmen on foot, in canoes, in motor-boats, and on railways, aeroplanes were used for forest protection in no less than five provinces. In the aggregate probably two thousand miles of telephone line have been erected for forest protection work. For the better utilization of forest products there have also been established under the Department of Interior Forest Products Laboratories, where all problems connected with the manufacture of every kind of forest product are studied and the results made available to the people of Canada. A forest change has also taken place in the attitude of people generally toward forest protection and they are now beginning to demand that everything possible be done to stop the enormous waste through forest fires.

## Ministerial Mannerisms

The pulpit seems to possess a lurking and insidious power to transform a perfectly natural and normal man into a being of a wholly different and painful artificial sort. If ministers could observe themselves from a safe distance, like that of the man in the pew, they would in many instances perceive that in the short walk from the study to the pulpit, or even up to the two or three steps to the sacred desk, something happens which radically changes their tone of voice and their entire manner. Not long ago the writer had the privilege of witnessing in one of our churches whose minister had an honored place. We talked together in the study, and then walked together to the pulpit. The minister had been conversing in a wholly human and normal tone of voice. But the moment he began the service he assumed a tone so artificial and unnatural as to form a startling contrast with his former manner. It was difficult to conceive how a man could contrive to change so totally his voice, and impart all he said in so artificial a quality as to produce a painful impression of insincerity. This was, of course, entirely unjust to the man himself, who is of the finest pattern of ministerial integrity. If ministers were sensitive to the impressions they make by their unnatural tones, or by such absurd pulpit poses as the hands joined in the finger-tip exercises, or the swaying of the body backward and forward in the lead-and-tee swing, which is particularly affected during the singing of hymns, or movements otherwise preoccupied, they would avoid them as they would any other invitations to mirth on the part of their listeners. There ought to be a rigid conduct of pulpit manners in every ministerial seminary. — The Christian Century.

## Radium Tells Age Of Earth

Radium having disclosed a source of heat not known before, opens up calculations of the earth's present age, based upon its supposed rate of cooling, is the belief of Lord Rayleigh, expressed before the British association at Edinburgh, and recorded in the Daily Mail. Most of the eminent members of the association met to discuss the subject of the earth's longevity, and in turn physicians, astronomers and geologists gave their views, which varied much less than used to be the case. They all agreed that the earth is quite dreadfully old and will last to be incalculably older, for example, than Lord Kelvin thought.

Lord Rayleigh, who led the debate, indicated the importance of radium evidence, by pointing out that the element uranium changes into radium and through radium into one of the two sorts of lead. Presuming, as is likely, that all the lead has been produced from uranium, we get an age of 920,000,000 years.

As to the future, the upshot is that radio-active methods of estimation "indicate a moderate multiple of 1,000,000,000 years as the possible and probable duration of the earth's crust as suitable for the habitation of living beings."

Some awful specimens of feeble infelicity appear on the social pages of the Vancouver papers.

It is rumored that Charles Chisholm will be the new superintendent of operations at Fawcett.

Some men work all their lives, some get rich and some marry women who can run boarding houses.

R. G. Foot, C.P.R. coal inspector, has returned from a vacation spent in points as far south as Mexico.

Mrs. W. A. Hender-on is due to arrive here the early part of the week, after a sojourn to eastern Canada points.

Though quick response was made by firemen on Monday night, they were considerably hard-dropped by low water pressure.

Fate of young wives worshipping their husbands unknowingly, buyers probably good cooks, but place "burnt offerings" before hubby three times a day.

The marriage of Charles Wesley Thomas, of Fishburn, to Miss Edna Vance, of Robert Kerr was solemnized at Edmonton on February the 28th. After a short honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas will make their home at Fishburn.

Mrs. R. McZler will have the latest spring Millinery on display on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week at R. J. and 2 in the Elwin Apartments, over the drug store. All the latest Parisian and New York models. See ad elsewhere in this issue.

A. B. S. Stanley, former print shop worker at Cranbrook, and other points in British Columbia, and for a time connected with the printing office at Coleman, has become temporary pastor of Trail Baptist church. Those who know Bro. Stanley, know that he is just as well qualified for that position as any other of the printing class, and we congratulate him on taking another advanced stride on the printer's heavenward journey.

A very healthy financial statement has just been prepared by the treasurer of the Union church, showing the progress made since May of last year. All departments of this church have made great strides during the year. The attendance at services has been good and is still growing, while the Sunday school has attained the record of being the largest in membership and attendance for the size of the population in the province.

Everybody in and around Cowley are patiently waiting for the 17th-St. Patrick's night—when the big balloon and confetti dance will be held in Tustian's hall by the ladies of Cowley, under the auspices of the Cowley Baseball Club. It is the only dance of its kind ever held in Cowley and a big crowd is expected from the surrounding towns. Each person will be given an Irish cap, balloon, confetti, streamers and novelty shamrock. The ladies are very busy with the decorations and the hall will look very pretty.

A small fire occurred on Monday night, about 10 o'clock, on Sixth Avenue, resulting in the total destruction of an old landmark—the town's store house. Part of the building was occupied by Mr. Nicoll as a shoe repair shop, in which he had quite a line of modern equipment. But a very few items were saved by him. In an adjoining room was stored wire and other repair materials by the town light and fire department. All was destroyed. An adjoining building occupied by Lach & Michalsky as a grocery store was considerably scorched, but most of the stock and furniture was removed undamaged. The origin of the fire could not be ascertained. Mr. Nicoll's loss is partly covered by insurance.

Lots of people would be happy nowadays if they were equipped with self strikers.

The Lethbridge charter amendment ask for provision for appointment of three advisory commissioners to assist the three elected city commissioners who govern the city. An income tax is also asked for, but this will likely stand over with similar requests from Calgary and Edmonton, for general consideration with the government's consideration, during the coming year, for a provincial income tax.

Acts passed through committee for third reading, or finally passed, include the minimum wage bill for women, introduced by Mrs. Parly, the drainage and irrigation districts act amendments, the amendments to the brand act, the act to provide for adjustment of inequalities in assessment, by the equalization assessment board, which is operated under the supplementary revenue act.

In committee of the whole, changes were made in the act to regulate produce commission merchants, to provide that retail merchants handling farm produce as part of their business need not come under the scope of the act. The bond minimum under the act for commission merchants was reduced from \$2000 to \$1000.

An act to amend the legal professions act, introduced by Attorney-General Brownlee at the request of the benchers of the law society, was dropped at Mr. Brownlee's suggestion on Friday afternoon. The bill sought to establish certain members of the legal profession as ex-officio members of the benchers of the law society and some objection had been taken to it.

Replying Tuesday to a question put by R. C. Edwards, Calgary, the premier made a return stating that it did not intend to return section ten of the U.F.A. political platform as requiring it to institute a referendum on the subject of control of liquor sales.

In reply to a question put by Chas. R. Mitchell, Bow Valley, Attorney-General Brownlee, stated that the sheriff of the judicial district of Medicine Hat was retired on February 1, 1922, with a bonus of two months' salary, the purpose being to reduce staff; that the offices of sheriff and clerk of the court were amalgamated and would be continued; that no other person than a member of the public service would be appointed to fill the vacancy.

The most serious operation we know of is having your pay cut. Three or four cars a week are being shipped now from the Lundbreck coal mine, according to reports.

Unless the price of dress goods comes down, it is likely that skirts will suffer another shortening to get material for the new style longer sleeves.

Superintendent A. C. Bryan, of the Alberta Provincial Police department, Edmonton, was in town on Friday last in connection with the choosing of a site for a public building.

Organized planting of shelter-belts all over the Prairie provinces for the purpose of protecting every farm in the West from the storms of winter was advocated by the Manitoba Horticultural and Forestry Association at its annual conference in Winnipeg.

Speaking of a recent banquet and presentation given in honor of a departing Scotchman, a newspaper remarks: "He briefly addressed the gathering in his Scotch dialect, but thanked them in a civilized tongue."

Tertius Noble, of St. Thomas church, New York, and Dr. Vogt, former director of Mendelssohn choir, Toronto, have been secured as adjudicators for the competition at the annual Alberta musical festival, which will be held at Lethbridge, May 10, 17, and 18.

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Francis Wellington Hay, who has been temporary leader of the Ontario liberals since the retirement of Hartley Dewart in October, has been confirmed in his position by a provincial convention of his party.

The British house of lords has decided that women who are peers in their own right are entitled to seats in the house. This decision, made upon application of Viscountess Rhondda, admits twenty-four women to the house.

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**FOUREX DEFAULTS****TO BELLEVUE**

No small amount of criticism has been forthcoming over the failure of the Calgary Fourx to appear here as scheduled for Tuesday night, and disappointment reigns throughout The Pass. The reason given is that the amateur team has not received the support necessary from Calgary this season and that from the start they have not been able to finance their own way. Calgary has supported professional hockey as no other town of its size on the map has done, and it is regrettable to think that they no longer have a place for amateurism. The Bellevue team, winners of the Crow League, journeyed to Calgary at their own expense and played the game under the most unfavorable circumstances, namely soft ice and practically no audience. Fourx were to play return here on Tuesday, but failed to put in appearance, despite Bellevue's offer to pay their expenses. No one has a right to be little the Fourx boys in taking such a stand, for if a community the size of Calgary cannot support an amateur team, such team would shun the idea of being under compulsion to a small district like ours. They are sports and would play the game if conditions permitted. Calgary are losers and Bellevue are winners of the cup, though they would far rather have played the game on ice and satisfied all that the best team won. Had the game been played here as scheduled, at least \$700 would have been taken at the arena, most of which would have gone into the treasury of the competing teams.

Had Fourx played here on Tuesday, arrangements were in the making whereby they would remain over to play Blaimore on Wednesday, and both games would have been the best drawing cards of the season.

A local fire and life insurance agent's bulletin board this week displays another with the heading "Blood and Fire." We understand, however that the conditions of the policy are altogether different and that you won't get it if you die.

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AUCTIONEER

Link's barber shop is being decorated by Albie Biale.

Ex-Mayor Jack Johnson, of Coleman, was in town yesterday.

A good many people would say more if they didn't talk so much. We regret to learn that Mrs. E. Kidd is confined to her bed through illness.

A grand supper and concert will be given in the Methodist church at Bellevue tomorrow night.

The dance given at the opera house by The Pass Orchestra on Tuesday, though not very well attended was rather an enjoyable affair.

The bean supper given in Graham's hall at Coleman on Saturday night last by the Women's Institute must have been a noisy affair.

Rev. Dr. Langfeldt, of Edmonton, conducted services at St. Alban's Anglican church, Coleman, on Sunday morning and evening, last.

Gwyn Evans, who has been laid up with a fractured ankle for some weeks, went to Calgary the early part of the week, where we understand a successful operation was performed.

In England the shorter hours worked by miners added no less than \$1,000,000,000 a year to the cost of British production, or an amount equal to nearly two-fifths of the export.

A little boy was asked by his father why he was always at the bottom of his class. The boy replied: "It doesn't make any difference, father. They teach the same stuff at both ends."

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The doors of wisdom are never shut.

Laughter is no more a sign of being amused than fat is of health.

It takes an optimist to be poor, and there are darn few of us optimists.

Mrs. F. Thaeli and Master Teddie, of Lethbridge, are spending a few days in town.

We understand that Mr. A. McPhail already appreciates the help of a daughter around the house.

J. E. Gillis, solicitor, is representing several clients at the Supreme Court sitting at Macleod this week.

He who receives a good turn should never forget it. He who does one should never remember it.

The Birmingham News remarks: Protect the birds. The dove brings peace and the stork brings tax exemptions.

W. O. Evans is expected to return shortly from Rochester, where he has been undergoing surgical treatment.

We understand that Robert Smallwood, who sustained rather serious burns some weeks ago, will soon be able to return to work.

Money in circulation in the United States at the beginning of 1922 totalled \$5,775,000,000, compared with \$6,340,000,000 a year ago.

Members of the executive of the Western Canada International Baseball League met in Calgary on Saturday last, when business in connection with the newly organized circuit was discussed.

A case was heard in a Nova Scotia court recently, in which judge, jury, lawyers, witnesses, etc., all used the Gaelic language. They managed successfully without having to employ a Chinese interpreter.

A local guy was heard to remark the other day that he hadn't paid a cent for repairs to his automobile in the last ten months. His friend retorted: "So I've heard. The man who did the repairs told me the very same thing."

A party was held at the home of Miss Lillian Evans on Friday evening last, the occasion being a farewell to William Randall. The former part of the evening was spent in games, and after supper an enjoyable dance was held. Those present were Misses Lillian Turner, Jane Kemp, May Smith, Violet Warner, Winnie Christophers, Jane Archer, Edith Christophers, Florence Warner, Margaret Baird, Bessie Pasmore, Gwen McDonald, Lucy Hinde, Mildred Pasmore, E. Brown and Lillian Evans; and Messrs John Rae, John McAndrew, Archie McLeod, Duncan Baird, Donald Binns, Garfield Pitard, George Maniquet, Bill Randall, Tom Kemp, T. Poggiali, Jack Link, Bob Barnhill, Charles Howe, Clair Snyder, Mervyn Evans.

Coleman ratepayers are determined to have cement side walks and a municipal water system and will no longer entertain proposals for plank side walks and repairs. Coleman is well fixed financially, their debt to the waterworks amounting to only about \$300, and it should be an easy matter for that town to raise the \$20,000 to \$30,000 needed to install the waterworks and several blocks of concrete walks. Besides having a water service line through both East and West Coleman it is proposed to build sidewalks eight feet wide on both sides of Main Street and six feet wide both sides of Centre Avenue. It is likely that the necessary by-laws will be drafted for publication in the very near future and that the vote of the ratepayers thereon will take place towards the end of April or early in May.

**LOCAL U. M. W. OF A.****VOTE FOR STRIKE**

The strike referendum ballots arrived here this week and the local members voted on Wednesday. The vote was 214 for and 17 against the strike.

**BIG DAY AT GREENHILL MINE**

Probably one of the best days that Greenhill Mine has had for some time was one day this week when 700 dump cars or sixty-five carloads, averaging 30 tons to the car was turned out. This amounts to 1950 tons, which is a very creditable record for one day.

**INTERESTED IN CARBON HILL**

Messrs. H. F. McGlathery, A. B. Courtenay, J. F. Hobson and William G. DuBois, of Westmeath, Washington, spent a week here, during which they looked over the Carbon Hill coal properties at South Fork. We understand that considerable capital is becoming interested in this property and that development will likely commence early this year.

**THE SALVATION ARMY**

Meetings conducted in the I.O.O.F. hall every Sunday as follows:  
11 a.m.—Holiness meeting.  
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**SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT—**

Sunday, March, 19th.—The first two recruits of the Salvation Army will be enrolled as Soldiers of the Blaimore Corps. Service commencing at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

Captain R. Butterfield and Lieut. W. Yartlett, Commanding Officers.

John Barlevoorn is dead, but he left a whole lot of poor relations.

What is said to be the largest porker killed in this part of the province in recent years was butchered by Fred Hrihoriew at Hillcrest, weighing dressed 448 pounds at only a little over two years old.

The careless reporter wrote: "Services will be held at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon, especially for the old people. Subject, 'Wav' marks on the Road to Hell.' Solo, 'I Want To Go There,' by Mrs. Smith."

Some of the drastic pieces of legislation passed by the provincial government includes further penalties on the amusement sector in the way of additional theatre tax and levy of 5 cents per gallon on gasoline. Changes in the Motor Vehicle Act provide that no search or spot lights shall be used within any village, town or city, but spotlights will be permissible on country roads. Hereafter the speeder or inebriated driver will be subjected to appropriation of his car, which to gether with the driver will be impounded for fourteen days. For second offence a penal servitude of six months will be exacted.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS**

In the Estate of THOMAS BROOKS, late of the Village of Coleman, Miner, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Thomas Brooks, who died on the 7th day of August, 1920, are required to file with the undersigned by the 18th day of April, 1922, a full statement, duly verified, of their claims and of any securities held by them; and that after that date the Public Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of and any securities held by them; and that notice has been so filed or which have been brought to its knowledge.

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Sergt. Bowker succeeds J. Gillespie as chief of police at Lethbridge.

Mrs. Harry Moore is on furlough Macleod to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. E. Kidd.

Part of the business district of Chicago suffered a million dollar fire yesterday.

Mrs. Hutcherson and Mrs. Rose, of Lethbridge, were guests of Mrs. J. Milne this week.

Already this year 132 applications for divorce have been received by the authorities at Ottawa.

Dr. J. H. King was on Tuesday elected with a substantial majority in East Kootenay and goes to Ottawa as minister of public works.

A number of men are already employed around the Passburg coal mine.

The Norris government of Manitoba will likely resign.

Miss Jessie Sheed underwent a critical operation at a Lethbridge hospital on Monday last.

It is likely the Club Cafe here will reopen for business shortly.

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## The Evolution Of An Empire

The structure of the British Empire and the conception of empire entertained by the British people, both at home and abroad, has long been a puzzle to other nations and peoples. With the exception of the British themselves, people have been unable, as a rule, to harmonize the idea of several nations, each enjoying autonomous government and to all intents and purposes quite independent, constituting a compact and unified Empire.

Possibly nowhere in the world was there a more mistaken conception of the unity and strength of the British Empire entertained than in Germany prior to 1914. "Intelligent and presumably well informed German writers confidently predicted that the first serious war which Great Britain was involved would be a signal for Canada, Australia and South Africa to throw off what they termed "the British yoke." Equally confident were the predictions that India would blaze into revolt, that Irishmen would rebel against a man, and that Egypt would quickly drive the British there into the sea. The loosely constituted British Empire would, they declared, quickly fall to pieces.

But the Great War had not really begun before it became manifest to the world that the British Empire was one add indivisible, many times stronger and more united than any of the empires of old held together by force and great armies. Instead of repudiating their allegiance to the British crown, Canada and Australia poured out their wealth and their manhood voluntarily and enthusiastically in support of their common Empire. The few discontented ones in South Africa were quickly quelled, and South Africa proceeded to render equally valuable aid to the Empire. India provided hundreds of thousands of soldiers and untold wealth, and brought about the downfall of Turkey in Mesopotamia and Palestine. The Irish, as usual, contributed many of the most valiant soldiers in the British armies.

With the ending of the present evolution of the British Empire proceeds apace. By the free act of the British Government and Parliament, Ireland is constituted a Free State within the Empire; the protectorate over Egypt is brought to an end and the ancient land of the Pharaohs granted autonomous government; step by step the rights and powers of self-government are being freely given to India just as rapidly as the people are capable of exercising those rights and powers.

Some unthinking people who fail to understand the genius of British administration profess to see in these things a gradual weakening of the Empire. They are sadly mistaken. These developments are signs of the strength of the Empire, not of any inherent weakness; and as time passes each of these units in the great British Commonwealth of nations will give added strength and power to what is today the most powerful international force in existence, and the greatest stabilizing force in the world today.

Many nations have yet to learn that the extension of the liberties of the subject make for increased loyalty and, therefore, national strength, while policies of repression and coercion but add fuel to the flames of discontent, and it persisted in, must inevitably end in disaster.

The British way, the human way, the commonsense way, the Christian way. One unit in this great British family of nations may find it necessary, in working out its own development and advancing its own welfare, to accept a tariff against the products of one of its sister nations, and the world at once interprets this as a weakening in the links that bind the Empire together. But not so. If the adoption of such a policy is found essential to the upbuilding of a particular part of the Empire, and adds to the strength of that part, then the whole Empire is made stronger. But should the right to take such action be denied to any part, not only would that part be crippled in its development but irritation would arise which would prove a weakness and menace to the whole.

Kipling voiced a great truth when he wrote

"Daughter am I in my mother's house  
But mistress in my own."

This is the relationship which exists throughout the civilized world in the family circle. It exists just as truly in the family of nations. The British have recognized the fact, and are acting upon it, with the result that the Empire is steadily growing in strength and true greatness and in unity of spirit and purpose.

It seems to have been given to the British people to step into the new and unexplored portions of the earth, and into some of the oldest but less enlightened countries, and establish order and good government, provide modern means of communication and education, and then, when the people have advanced far enough, to entrust them with the direction of their own affairs. And every step taken in the carrying out of this great British policy may well be welcomed. Each such step is an evidence, not of British decay, but of British greatness and strength.



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Starting with four farms and five divisions of work in 1935, the Dominion Experimental Farms system has expanded till at the present time there are throughout Canada, 22 Experimental Farms, 7 Sub-Stations, 2 Tobacco Stations and over 100 Illustration Farms. As the result of experimental work carried out under the Federal Department of Agriculture, the farmers of Canada save from fifty to sixty millions annually.

WINTER WEATHER  
HARD ON LITTLE ONES

Our Canadian winters are exceedingly hard on the health of little ones. The weather is often so severe that the mother cannot take the little ones out for an airing. The consequence is that baby is confined to overheated, badly ventilated rooms; takes cold and becomes cross and peevish. Baby's Own Tablets should be given to keep the little one healthy. They are a mild laxative which regulate the stomach and bowels and thus prevent colds. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Germans Will Build Big Airship

Soon to Begin Work on Dreadnought Type for U.S. Navy

German engineers and workmen who were forbidden by the armistice to continue the construction of airships are expected soon to begin work on the dreadnought type of Zeppelin for the United States Navy.

The new airship will be the largest in the world and will require six months to build. The United States will supply a part of the raw materials. United States officers will design the construction and dimensions of the motors, which are expected to produce a speed hitherto unattained in this type of aircraft.

## His Rheumatism and Backache both Gone

MR. JOHN NORDIN RECOMMENDS DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Saskatchewan Man Tells of Relief From Suffering and Gladly Advises Others to Try Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Percival, Sask.—(Special). "I am more than glad to say a good word for Dodd's Kidney Pills. Now my backache and rheumatism are gone. I always kept Dodd's Kidney Pills in hand in case of need and to everybody with kidney trouble and backache I say 'try Dodd's Kidney Pills.' Dodd's Kidney Pills put the kidneys in shape to strain all the uric acid out of the blood. With no uric acid in the blood there can be no rheumatism."

"For about ten years I suffered dreadfully from backache and rheumatism," he says. "Then I started to take Dodd's Kidney Pills. Now my backache and rheumatism are gone. I always kept Dodd's Kidney Pills in hand in case of need and to everybody with kidney trouble and backache I say 'try Dodd's Kidney Pills.' Dodd's Kidney Pills put the kidneys in shape to strain all the uric acid out of the blood. With no uric acid in the blood there can be no rheumatism."

"Ask your neighbors if Dodd's Kidney Pills are not the greatest of all kidney remedies."

Mormons in Toronto

Sixteen Mormon missionaries have invaded Toronto with the avowed purpose of starting a vigorous campaign to convert this city to Mormonism. Under Rev. Neph Jensen they intend to put into operation within the next few weeks a house-to-house campaign.

One merchant in Siberia has been known to purchase as many as a million squirrel skins in a single season.

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## Making Speech Visible

Principle of New Invention is Similar to Phonograph

A wonderful new invention called the Lioreograph enables one to make accurate tracings upon permanent records of actual vibrations of sounds in articulated speech. The instrument is worked by motor power. When a vowel sound is uttered the room becomes full of vibrations, and each different sound gives vibrations of a different shape. In the presence of the Lioreograph a person saying "Ah" would record upon paper a wobbly, symmetrical line. The principle involved is similar to that of the phonograph but, by means of delicate mechanism, the effects of speech are enlarged an enormous number of times. It is believed that with this new invention, aided by mathematical formulae, in use, it will be possible to understand and translate any foreign or unknown tongue of which these times are the record.

## If Losing Looks or Strength Read This Carefully

Once you were robust, bright and happy. To-day you are dull, worried, falling in vitality and appearance. Just what you should be at your best. You've played out and need a cleansing medicine. Get the right remedy and your blood will redouble, your vivacious spirits will soon return, and you'll be yourself again. You should have been at your best at your best. It drives away headaches and weariness, lifts the slumps from your liver, restores your stomach, puts you on your feet in no time. Use Dr. Hamilton's Pills and watch the result. In a week you'll feel like new. All dealers or The C. L. Harris Co., Montreal.

## Airplane Patrol

Manitoba to Use Airplanes for Fire Patrols and Other Work

Manitoba will have a fleet of five airplanes next summer, two or three of which will be able to carry as many as 100 passengers, to patrol the forest areas and perform various other duties for the Dominion Government officers in the province. Several machines are being erected and overhauled, while two large P-3 seaplanes are expected early in the spring from British Columbia. Duties of the air fleet, besides patrolling forest regions to detect fires, will include the conveying of officials who will pay tribute money to the Indians in the northlands, and the rendering of assistance in the government reclamation survey of the Carrot River district.

## A Divorce Granted

After many years of patient suffering, you can be divorced from corns, you can get rid of them completely by using Pettibone's Corn Extract. This wonderful old remedy acts in 24 hours and never fails. Refuse a substitute and remember "Pettibone's" is the only Painless remedy. 25c everywhere.

## Easy Money in Russia

Humorous Story About Prisoner Who Printed Money to Pay His Fine

The Red, a Russian newspaper, gives the following amusing story from Petrograd:

"Some time ago the Petrograd Extraordinary Commission arrested an individual with a trunk full of paper money. The agents of the Cheka could not make out his profession, but released him against payment of a fine of 1,000,000 roubles. Then after a week or so, they thought better of it and arrested the man again, demanding a fine of two millions. He was paid immediately. This last time he was released, and a few days later the unhappy millionaire found himself again in prison. A ransom of five millions was demanded. The victim asked for two days' delay, and on the third day brought the quantity of paper demanded."

Two weeks later he was again arrested and ordered to produce ten millions. He asked for two weeks to produce the sum. He was given only a week, after which he again appeared, bringing the bulk of paper roubles. Two sturdy individuals carried in after him a heavy box.

"Here are your ten millions," declared the extraordinary individual, "but I have brought also the printing press. You can continue yourselves."

This anecdote is typical of the state of the Russian currency. Beggars in the street insult you if you offer them 100 roubles, and the train conductors accumulate fortunes collecting the money which passengers have to drop and do not think it worth while to pick up.

Looking from one lofty mountain range across to another, enormous distances may be spanned. The record is said to be between Mount Sparta, in Mexico, and the Sierra Madre, the two ranges being about 200 miles apart.

Minard's Liniment for Coughs and Colds

## Making Bread At Home

BY LORETTO C. LYNCH

An Acknowledged Expert in All Matters Pertaining to Household Management.

Too many young housekeepers will attempt to make most anything except bread. Yet, the making of a couple of loaves of bread is far less complicated than the making of even a simple cake.

Suppose you try to make a couple of loaves. You will want two tin loaf-pans. These will cost about fifteen cents each.

You will like to have a large mixing bowl and the usual half-pint measuring cup and standard tea and tablespoons.

In using yeast, follow directions. Remember that yeast is a plant. In order to live and grow it requires food, air, heat, moisture. Like the mushroom, it requires no light. In growing, yeast gives off bubbles of gas, and this gas makes the bread rise.

If you pour boiling water on your cake of yeast instead of the lukewarm water the recipe calls for, you will kill it just as surely as you would kill a delicate little fern. And once killed, it will not make the bread rise.

To make two loaves of white bread, into the mixing bowl put one level teaspoon of salt, the same quantity of sugar and half a tablespoon of butter or lard. Pour half a cup of hot water over these ingredients.

When the butter is melted, pour in half a cup of cold water. Stir half a cup of compressed yeast in two tablespoons of lukewarm water until it can be poured. Test the liquid in the mixing bowl to ascertain if it is just lukewarm. This may be done by letting a drop fall on the tender part of the wrist. If right in temperature, add the yeast mixture. Then beat in enough flour to make a batter. Beat this for several minutes to help incorporate the air necessary for the growth of the yeast. Then add enough more flour to make a dough as much as can be handled.

Toss on a lightly floured board, and with floured hands knead in enough flour so that when the dough is pressed in with the finger it quickly rebounds, as does a rubber ball. Roughly about three minutes' kneading will be required for this quantity. About one-fourth cup of flour will be required for kneading in after the dough is on the board.

Run the water over the dough ball for a second and then place it back in the mixing bowl. Set the bowl into a dish pan of warm water and place a clean, warm cloth over it. Let rise either over night or about seven hours during the day. Then remove shape into loaves and place in well greased pan. Let rise in a warm—not hot—place for about half an hour. Bake in a hot oven about forty-five minutes, turning the loaves frequently so that they may brown evenly. Greasing over the top of the loaf before baking aids in giving the much desired crust, brown crust.

The first mixing takes about ten minutes after one has a little practice, and the second kneading and shaping takes about five minutes.

## Increase Shipping at Vancouver

Fifty-three deep-sea ships, not including the Canadian ships that ply between Vancouver and San Francisco, is the record of the port of Vancouver for the month of January. For the whole of 1931 the number of deep-sea ships arriving in Vancouver was 589, compared with 555 vessels in the preceding twelve months. Coastwise local and foreign, the arrivals in 1931 were 11,485.

## Canadian Wool Sold

The Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers last year sold four million pounds of wool, practically all going to Canadian mills. There is being developed by Canadian growers a Canadian market for wool, producing and in addition there has been quite an improvement in the market, with a better demand and rising prices.

## First, Doctors — Then a Skin Specialist

Then a bottle of D.D.D.

It is the best remedy for the treatment of skin diseases in this section, a few weeks' use of this bottle will give you relief from all kinds of skin diseases.

A sentence or two from a letter from J. W. Curran, 1000 Avenue A, Toronto, a man of high standing: "I have been a sufferer for two long years of a skin disease, which was treated by many different doctors. I used a bottle of D.D.D. and it is all. Today I am well and happy."

If you would like to try a bottle of the Prescription that Dr. Curran found so remarkable, we will send you a bottle of D.D.D. for free. It is a bottle of D.D.D. for free. It is a bottle of D.D.D. for free.

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If you cannot call at a local dealer's who sell D.D.D., write to the D.D.D. 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# Government Criticised By Meighen Over The Appointment Of Speaker

Ottawa.—The first session of the fourteenth parliament of Canada opened with the swearing in of members and the signing of the roll. On the first item of business of the Commons the election of Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, member for Gaspe, as Speaker, the Government was taken to task by the leader of the opposition, Light Hon. Arthur Meighen.

The Government, Mr. Meighen, had taken unto itself the functions of parliament and not of the Government or the Prime Minister, to say who should be Speaker. Yet on the day the new cabinet was announced, the Premier had also announced that Hon. Mr. Lemieux would be the new speaker of the House. Mr. Meighen agreed with all that the Prime Minister had said with regard to the qualifications of Mr. Lemieux for the position of Speaker.

The leader of the opposition also criticised the Government for departing from the custom of promoting the deputy-speaker to the rank of Speaker. "This custom has been followed for years past, but the present Government had seen fit to depart from it, despite the fact that George Bolvin, member for Shefford, had all the qualifications necessary and in addition had served with such satisfaction as deputy-speaker that the choice of him as Speaker would have given eminent satisfaction."

The Prime Minister and Hon. T. A. Crerar, leader of the Progressives, voiced appreciation of Mr. Lemieux in respect to his lengthy parliamentary experience and his qualifications for the position of Speaker. Mr. Crerar caused an outburst of laughter when he prefaced his remarks by stating that he spoke "for this despatched annex of the Liberal party, a phrase which had been used last year by Right Hon. Mr. Meighen in referring to Mr. Crerar and his followers."

Hon. Mr. Lemieux, was declared elected by acclamation and taking the chair, expressed his gratification of the honor which had been conferred on him and said it would be his pleasure to serve the House, not as a party man, but as a servant of parliament and of the country.

## Fiume Blockaded

By Official Order

Citizens Debarred and Strangers Forbidden to Enter City

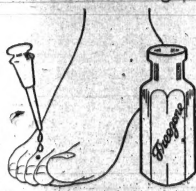
Fiume.—A virtual blockade was thrown around Fiume by Italian Commissioner Castelli who issued orders forbidding the entrance into the city of any but Fiume citizens and ordering the disarming of all private persons.

Those who participated in the recent conflicts which led to the overthrow of President Zanolini's Government together with all strangers having no legitimate business in the city will be sent out en masse, according to Commissioner Castelli's orders, so that Italy can redeem the pledge given to the Jugo-Slavs in the treaty of Rapallo, declaring Fiume a free state.

Belgian Professor Working on Farm Chatham.—Henri Bergan, a Belgian, and former professor of moderns at the Belgian University, at one time postmaster of the general post-office at Brussels, who had been working as a laborer on a farm near this city, will return to his native land in the near future. He came out to Canada on a sightseeing tour and intended to pay his expenses by tutoring.

## CORNS

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## Lady Member Changes Role

Ottawa.—The entrance of a lady member into the House of Commons, necessitated a change in the speech from the throne. In past Parliaments the speech has always opened with the words: "Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate, Gentlemen of the House of Commons."

The speech today was addressed to: "Honorable Members of the Senate, Members of the House of Commons."

The lady member was responsible for the change.

## Brandon Winter Fair

Many Honors Go to Saskatchewan Exhibitors

Brandon, Man.—With the exception of one section, the Brandon Winter Fair obtained a first for swine in every section in an exceptionally strong exhibit in its various classes. The biggest exhibit of sheep ever shown at a winter fair gave Professor Shaw, of Saskatoon, a difficult time. Thomas Zachary of Austin, won the grand championship for sheep with a Hampshire ram.

In the Percheron class for stallions foaled in 1920, first went to G. T. Fraser, Tate, Sask., with his "Wolfgang."

For stallions in this class foaled in 1919, first place went to "Duncan," owned by Dr. C. Head, Regina.

In the Clydesdale class for stallions foaled in 1919, "Dix Imbro," owned by Ben Finlayson, Brandon, obtained first awards, A. H. Forbes, of Grand Coulee, Sask., with his pair Baron, obtained first for stallion foaled in 1920.

## Aristocrats As Settlers

Russian Nobility Coming to Settle on Prairie Farms

Vancouver.—Russian aristocrats, dispossessed of their lands by the revolution, are coming to Canada to settle on prairie farms, according to H. J. Loughran, colonization agent of the C.P.R. at Vancouver.

The pioneer of the movement, Count Koukolevsk, is already established with his family near Bano, Alta., and 10 families to whom he introduced the subject are coming in May, says Mr. Loughran.

"Although an aristocrat to the finger tip, Count Koukolevsk showed by his conversation when here that he has a thorough practical knowledge of the farming industry," said Mr. Loughran, and he states that the other people are equally well informed along practical lines.

"Owing to the similarity of the prairie country to the Russian steppes, it seems to me these are very good people to get on our Canadian lands," Mr. Loughran added.

## Report on Hospitals

Regina.—A comprehensive report of the hospitals conventions held in Regina last fall has been printed and is being distributed to members of the associations and others interested in hospital work throughout the province. The booklet contains reports of the proceedings of the conventions of the Western Canada Hospitals' Association, the Saskatchewan Hospital Association, and the Western Canada conference of the Catholic Hospitals' Association.

## Resignation is Accepted

London.—Rt. Hon. Edward Samuel Mondrago, secretary of state for India, tendered his resignation, and it was accepted.

## HEART WOULD BEAT

LIKE A

## TRIP HAMMER

Heart trouble has of late years become very prevalent. Sometimes a pain catches you in the region of the heart, now and then you feel a pain, palpitations, throbs, or beats with such rapidity and violence you think it is going to burst.

You have weak and dizzy spells, sinking sensations, are nervous, irritable and depressed, and you find it difficult to walk upstairs or any distance you get all out of breath.

We know of no remedy that will do so much to make the heart regain strength and vigor, regulate its beat and restore it to a healthy normal condition as will

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Mrs. Chadwick, Delhi, Ont., writes: "I had palpitation of the heart, and the least exercise, such as going up stairs or up a hill, my heart would beat like a trip-hammer and I was dizzy-headed and had a sinking sensation as if my time were near. A friend suggested I try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, so I procured three boxes, and by the time the first one was used I began to improve. In all I took six boxes, and now although in my sixth year I feel like a young girl; no dizziness or heart-thumping, and can walk miles without fatigue. I am free of sickness I weighed 120 lbs. now I weigh 150."

Price 60¢ a box at all dealers, or for a direct order send 12¢ to The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

## WESTERN EDITORS



V. C. French, Editor of The Times, Wetaskiwin, Alta., and President of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association.

## Canada's Fire Losses Heavy

Property Damage in 1921 Over Forty Five Million

Ottawa.—Fire losses in Canada for 1921 amounted to \$52.2 per capita as compared with \$49.9 per capita in Great Britain, according to information made public by the Dominion Fire Commissioner. During the year the 25,916 fires reported to the department of insurance occasioned property damage amounting to \$45,015,300, exclusively of insurable losses arising from forest fires, the commissioner points out. The 1921 fire loss, of which approximately \$34,000,000 or 75 per cent was covered by insurance constitutes a substantial increase over the losses of the three previous years. In 1920 the loss amounted to \$28,745,890; in 1919, \$25,361,240; and in 1918, \$33,517,050.

During 1921 the fire losses in Great Britain only amounted to \$36,400,000. By province the distribution of fire losses during 1921 was as follows:

Alberta, \$2,875,000 or \$4.95 per capita; British Columbia, \$3,050,000 or \$5.32 per capita; Manitoba, \$2,640,000 or \$4.67 per capita; New Brunswick, \$2,735,882 or \$7.02 per capita; Nova Scotia, \$3,177,000 or \$6.06 per capita; Ontario, \$15,444,817 or \$5.28 per capita; Prince Edward Island, \$216,478 or \$2.44 per capita; Quebec, \$18,997,459 or \$4.64 per capita; and Saskatchewan, \$3,765,000 or \$4.93 per capita.

The amount of money spent by the Dominion and Provincial Governments upon fire prevention in 1921 amounted to \$19,000, all of which, with the exception of \$12,000, was raised by a tax upon insurance companies.

## Calgary Rider Makes

## New World's Record

Takes Pony Over Six Foot Jump at

Brandon Fair

Brandon, Man.—The world's record for high jumping ponies under 13.2 hands was broken at the winter fair when Calgary Lass, owned and ridden by Louis Welsh, the 14-year-old son of Peter Welsh, of Calgary, cleared the bars at six feet. The world record for ponies was 5 feet 2 inches.

Mademoiselle, the 17-year-old wonder horse, also owned by Mr. Welsh, and ridden by his son, topped the bars at 6 feet 10 inches.

## Docking Space Taken

Montreal.—Almost every available foot of docking space in the harbor of Montreal has now been leased for 1922 season. If the present mild spell holds it is thought by experts that the opening of navigation this year may rival that of last year when the first ship came in on March 29.

## For Extra Saskatchewan Judge

Ottawa.—The Minister of Justice has given notice in the House of a resolution that "it is expedient that additional judges of the Court of Appeal for the province of Saskatchewan be appointed at an annual salary of \$9,000."

## Supply Much Antitoxin

Regina.—Antitoxin supplied by the Provincial Government in the province of Saskatchewan last month, cost the Department of Health \$451. A total of 3,900,000 units was distributed.

## Germany Makes Reparations Payment

Paris.—The German Government today notified the Allied reparations commission that it had placed on deposit Germany's sixth ten-day reparations payment, amounting to 31,000,000 gold marks.

## Suspend Import Duties

Warsaw.—All import duties on food, clothing and shoes have been suspended for six weeks by a decree designed to lower the cost of living.

# Reasons Are Given For U. S. Refusal To Attend Genoa Conference

## Mounted Police

Under Militia Branch

Ottawa.—Orders-in-council providing for the transfer of departments of the government service, some of these having been passed by the last Government and others by the King administration were tabled in the House. Provision was made in them for transferring the Government printing and stationery office from the department of the secretary of state to the department of labor; transferring the mounted police to the department of justice, and again to the department of militia; and transferring the naval services to the department of militia. The latter two orders were passed by the present Government and approved on Feb. 10 of this year.

## Keep on Serving

Men in Public Life Must Do Their

Best, Says Hon. Chas. Dunning

Saskatoon.—Bringing a message of cheer that while the province was going through dark financial times the future looked brighter, Hon. Charles A. Dunning, Minister of Agriculture and Minister of municipal affairs, was the chief speaker of the day at the annual convention of the Saskatchewan rural municipal convention.

Mr. Dunning was given an enthusiastic reception by the seven hundred people attending the convention and in the course of his address urged the municipal officials to continue in the task of duty and service to the communities they represented.

"We are going through strange times," he said. "The people of the world are exhibiting great impatience at the men who are in public life, whether it be municipal, provincial, Dominion or empire. It is the natural result of the hysteria of the past few years. There is only one thing for those in public life to do: Keep on serving. In this way the world will be saved. It will not be saved by theorists and shouters but by those who still do their job, do their duty and serve with the best that is in them."

The convention disposed of a large amount of business considering principally resolutions from the different municipalities. The equalization of taxation report from the representatives of the rurals on the commission was fully discussed.

T. H. Moffatt, of Victoria, was selected president of the association for this year, with R. J. Moffatt, of Brantford, as vice-president. The district directors elected were as follows: R. Douglas, Redvers; J. J. Lamb, Ogema; W. J. Haley, Vanguard; R. N. Parker, Togo; G. H. Hummel, Nokomis; E. S. Carroll, Asor.

## Hudson Joins Liberals

Ottawa.—The Government's strength in the House was added to when it became known that Hon. A. B. Hudson, former attorney-general of Manitoba, and who was elected as an Independent Progressive, had asked for and had been allotted a seat among the Liberals. Hon. Mr. Hudson is in the front row of Government benches, and his seat next to Hon. A. K. MacLean, senior member for Halifax.

## Premier Martin Returns

Regina.—Premier Martin has returned to Regina after an extended stay in Eastern Canada. He stated that a letter would be drafted in a few days, conveying Saskatchewan's reply to Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King on the question of returning the western provinces' natural resources.

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Washington.—Refusal of the United States to participate in the Genoa conference may be viewed as the first step in a campaign of "tactical pressure" to promote economic rehabilitation of Europe. It was said by a high official of the rehabilitation committee. "It should not be regarded, this official said, as an indication of the United States' desire to hold aloof from the grave problems confronting European nations."

Secretary Hughes' note to Italy conveying the declaration of the United States of the intention to participate in the Genoa meeting should be interpreted, he said, rather as an expression of willingness to aid whenever it was felt that its aid could be rendered effectively.

The United States cannot afford to enter into a situation where the help expected from it cannot be given, officials explained, adding that the United States Government must be viewed as holding its support in abeyance until such time as the European nations "get down to brass tacks," in the matter of settling their houses in order.

Economic problems regarded by this country as of supreme importance in the consideration of methods of world rehabilitation, include principally the rearrangement of German reparations and balancing of budgets by certain foreign nations.

With consideration of these questions in the view of the United States, it was said, there could be no practical attempt at world-wide economic re-adjustment.

## Champion Steer at Brandon Fair

Brandon, Man.—A carload made up of about 250 of the choicest birds in Manitoba will be sent to the Chicago International show this year by the Manitoba Poultry Breeders' Association. This was decided at the annual banquet of the members.

A fine Aberdeen-Angus steer, owned by J. I. Turner, of Carroll, was adjudged grand champion steer of the winter fair.

## Denies the Allegation

Winnipeg.—An allegation that it was an "unjust reflection on Winnipeg," Alderman W. B. Simpson, chairman of the unemployed relief committee, stated that no men have been shipped out of Winnipeg for Toronto.

At a meeting of the committee declared that 14 men claiming to have been given sandwiches and railway fare from Winnipeg, applied for relief in that city.

## Plan for Farm Labor

Regina, Sask.—An anticipation that between 3,000 and 3,500 men will be required for seeding operations on the farms in Saskatchewan, the Bureau of Labor is laying its plans to provide that amount of help for the farmers this coming season. It is anticipated here. The estimated number of men required is about the average of the past few years.

## Medical Supplies for Famine

London.—It was reported that the cabinet had decided it was unable to sanction a proposed loan of \$350,000 to the Russian Government for famine relief, but that it would put medical supplies at the disposal of the existing organizations in Russia to assist in the campaign against typhus.

## French Cattle Embargo

London.—Reuter's Paris correspondent cables that a decree has been issued by the French government prohibiting the importation of cattle from Great Britain and the Channel Isles to France.

## For Proportional Representation

Quebec.—Arthur Sauve, leader of the Opposition in the Legislative Assembly, introduced a motion favoring proportional representation.



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## Items of Pass Interest

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Secretary Ford, of Colonsau,  
was a visitor here on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Bolecky  
visited Pincher Creek on Tuesday.  
Lethbridge street railway shows  
a deficit of nearly \$48,000 for the  
past year.

The new phone directory, effective  
March 13th, is being distributed  
to subscribers.

Mr. May hopes to complete the  
assessment of the Blaimore town  
and school districts this week end.

W. F. McNeill and J. A. Kinney,  
of the Workmen's Compensation  
Board were in town during the  
week.

Quite a number of young folks  
attended the depot on Tuesday  
night to say "Farewell" to Bill  
Randall.

Three hundred thousand machine  
in the engineering trades in  
England were locked out on  
Saturday last.

The Blaimore Pharmacy will  
conduct a special One Cent sale  
on March 24th, 25th and 27th.  
Watch for bills.

Joseph J. Gillespie, Lethbridge's  
chief of police, died suddenly  
Sunday morning while visiting  
his daughter at Taber.

At least one hundred persons  
are believed to have been killed  
in fighting at Johannesburg, South  
Africa, on Saturday last.

Sir John Eaton is reported  
critically ill. As a result very  
few texts were chosen for last  
Sunday's discourses from Eaton's  
"bible."

The Saunders Hay & Grain  
Co's warehouse at Lethbridge was  
destroyed by fire on Sunday  
night, the loss estimated at \$60,  
000.

Fernie's city-owned electric  
light plant showed a profit of  
\$5,140 last year, while the water  
works' surplus was in the neighborhood  
of \$9,500.

Louis Shankman, aged twenty,  
was killed almost instantly when  
his car pinned him against a post  
in Toronto, after he had cranked  
the machine while in gear.

No more immigrants will be  
allowed in the United States from  
Italy till after July 1st, as the  
yearly quota from Italy has been  
exceeded.

Someone remarked the other  
day that the reason why a girl bit  
a man on the head occasionally  
when trying to strike a match was  
that she figured there was wood  
in the block.

British Columbia trout are  
evidently defying our immigration  
regulations, for today we have  
noticed quite a number of that  
tribe coming in to decorate  
local tables.

D. B. Emeno, former manager  
of the Bank of Montreal at Leth-  
bridge and Magrath, has been  
appointed to succeed Mr. A. M.  
Potter as manager of the Calgary  
branch. Mr. Potter has been pro-  
moted to the position of super-  
visor of provincial branches.

A local school girl was sitting  
with her feet stretched out into  
the aisle and was busily engaged  
chewing gum, when the teacher  
espied her. "Mary!" called the  
teacher. "Yes, ma'am?" questioned  
the pupil. "Take that gum out of  
your mouth and put your feet in!"

"Owing to the rugged condition  
of the roads, very few Pass folks  
were able to attend the C. F.  
Sedgwick auction sale at South  
Fork on Monday. We understand  
that quite a number were in  
attendance, however, and that  
most of the goods advertised were  
disposed of at fair prices.

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adian Collieries Ltd., Blaimore.

Mr. Randall, after spending a  
few weeks here with his son,  
Richard, returned to his home at  
Prosser, Wash., this week.

H. D. Gerry will conduct an  
auction sale on March 22nd, at  
the old Hodgson ranch, two  
miles north of Cowley. See bills.

The British pound was selling  
in Canada for \$1.50 during the  
past couple of weeks, which  
makes exchange look like thirty  
cents.

William Randall left here  
Tuesday night to take up his new  
appointment with the Home  
Bank of Canada at Sinitulna,  
Saskatchewan.

Fire which originated in the  
basement of the Veterans' Club  
building on Tuesday afternoon  
was just discovered in the nick of  
time and was extinguished by a  
bucket brigade without calling  
out the fire apparatus. No damage  
was done.

John Morton and Philip Rahal  
gave a party last Friday evening  
at the Auditorium hotel, which  
was attended by about forty of  
their young friends. The evening  
was pleasantly spent in  
various games and amusements.  
—Nanton News.

P. C. Larkin, the new Canadian  
high commissioner in London,  
goes overseas with the title of  
"Honorable." He was appointed  
a member of the privy council of  
Canada before he sailed, in order  
to give him a hand to his name  
when he assumed office.

The greatest surprise of the  
season was dropped by the Van-  
couver-Regina professional hockey  
teams on Saturday night with the  
ridiculous score of 4 to nothing.  
Makes us realize more than ever  
that the amateur brand, such as  
is played in this end of the Para-  
league, is the only worth while  
stuff.

If you want to, there is no  
better place than right where you  
are, though it may look better a  
little further off. One of the  
greatest lessons that we have to  
learn is to make full use of today,  
without worrying about tomorrow.  
Don't run around looking after  
happiness, but do all the good  
you can and happiness will run  
around looking for you.

An Irishman asked at the rail-  
way station for a ticket to Ottawa.  
Mack queried: "Do you want a  
ticket one way, or one that will  
take you there and back?" The  
Irishman looked at Mack surprised-  
ly for a moment, then said:  
"What the mischief do I want a  
ticket there and back for when  
I'm here already?"

Charles Anderson, for some  
years chief of police at Red Deer,  
is moving to Fernie, B. C. On  
the occasion of his departure from  
Red Deer, he was waited upon by  
members of Kneilworth Masonic  
Lodge and presented with an ad-  
dress and beautifully engraved  
gold watch chain and Masonic  
charm. Chief Anderson succeeds  
Chief Lawson at Fernie, the latter  
having joined the Alberta Pro-  
vincial Police to be stationed at  
Coleman.

## NOTICE

A meeting of the congre-  
gation of St. Luke's Church,  
Blaimore, will be held in the  
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